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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re* application of:

Sawyers *et al.*

Application No.: 10/062,684

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For: METHODS OF SIMULATING  
HUMAN PROSTATE CANCER  
PROGRESSION

Customer No.: 20350

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 25, 2003, please enter the following amendments and remarks. Enclosed herewith is a fee authorization to extend the time for response for two months, from October 25, 2003, to December 25, 2003.

The **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

The **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.